

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Vacancy Announcement Number: GEU400871

Opening Date: March 18, 2004

Cut off Date: April 8, 2004

Position: Machinist, WG-3414-10/FPL: 10

Salary: \$19.61 - \$22.91 Hourly

Place of Work: U.S. Army Engineer District, Baltimore, Washington Aqueduct Division, Maintenance Branch, Electrical/Mechanical Section

Duty Stations: Washington, DC

Position Status: This is a Permanent position -- Full Time

Number of Vacancies: 1

Duties: Performs a variety of equipment, maintenance, repair, & machining functions associated with the inspection, dismantling, repair, fabrication, replacement, & re-assembly of mechanical equipment including chemical feed machines & conveying equipment; water supply filter & pumping mechanisms, gates, valves, screens, heating, ventilating & exhaust systems. Studies blueprints, sketches, drawings, part models, & other specifications & instructions received with work orders to learn what is to be done & then decide & plan how to do it. Uses shop mathematics & standard handbook formulas in making computations to establish dimensions. Lays out work by measuring & marking straight lines, arcs, circles, angles, location points as guides for setting up work pieces for drilling, tapping, turning, milling, boring, reaming, shaping, grinding, honing, & lapping, using a variety of measuring & marking tools. Sets up & operates machine tools, such as lathes, milling machines, grinders, & radial drills.

Who May Apply:

- THIS IS A DELEGATED EXAMINING ANNOUNCEMENT, OPEN TO ALL US CITIZENS. APPLICATIONS MAY BE FAXED TO 410-306-1284/0106 OR MAILED TO NECPOC, 314 JOHNSON ST., APG, MD 21005, ATTN: DEU. RESUMES MUST INCLUDE THE ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER OR THEY WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. DO NOT INCLUDE E-MAIL ATTACHMENTS.
- Interagency Career Transition Assistance Plan (ICTAP) eligibles.

Qualifications:

(1) CUT-OFF FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS IS THE FIRST 30 APPLICATIONS RECEIVED OR CLOSING DATE, WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST. (2) COMMENTS: Employee is required to maintain confined space proficiency and perform confined space entry certification. Employee must be able to work without fear in enclosed spaces. Employee must be physically able to readily access and exit manholes with diameters as small as 20 inches. Employee is required to obtain and maintain a non-critical sensitive level clearance; must consent to a background investigation. Employee is required to work scheduled, unscheduled emergency overtime. The employee may be

required to wear escape respiratory protection. Employee must be able to wear protective safety equipment, such as but not limited to safety shoes, safety glasses, hardhat, safety harness, etc. (3) Pre-employment and annual physicals are required. (4) WORKING CONDITIONS: Work is performed both inside and outside shop facilities. Employee is subject to injury through falls, frostbite, wetness, extreme dirt and possible drowning while working in cramped, extremely tight, or deep dewatered pits. Shop work is subject to hazards of burns from hot metal chips, dust in the lungs, cuts, bruises, injuries to hands from use of machine and hand tools, skin irritation from contact with coolants, lubricants, acids and chemicals. (5) PHYSICAL EFFORT: Frequently handles objects weighing 45 pounds and occasionally carries objects weighing over 45 pounds. Works in cramped positions for sustained period of time. Work requires pushing, pulling, reaching, walking, standing, stooping, crawling, kneeling and bending. Candidates will be evaluated on their ability to perform the duties of a Machinist, rather than length of experience. Eligibility will be determined by the relevance, scope, and quality of all experience and training, regardless of where or how acquired. The items below should be addressed within the context of the resume. 1. Ability to do the work of the position without more than normal supervision (screen-out element). 2. Operation of machine tools. 3. Knowledge of technical practices. 4. Ability to use shop drawings. 5. Measurement and layout. 6. Ability to use hand tools for machine shop. 7. Knowledge of metals.

Experience and training that furnish the knowledges, skills, and abilities needed to perform the duties of this position consistent with accepted practices of the trade.

Ability to use and maintain appropriate tools and equipment. Ability to read, understand, and apply instruction and other materials related to the job. Ability to do the work of the position under normal supervision.

The experience described in your resume will be evaluated as related to the qualifications, knowledge, skills and abilities required for this job.

Other Information:

- Permanent Change of Station (PCS) expenses are not authorized.

Other Requirements:

- Personnel security investigation required.
- You will be required to provide proof of U.S. Citizenship.
- License/Certification: Valid state drivers license is required.
- Documentation to support Military Spouse Preference needs to be submitted at time of application.
- Male applicants born after December 31, 1959 must complete a Pre-Employment Certification Statement for Selective Service Registration.
- Direct Deposit of Pay is Required.
- Position requires employee to wear a uniform and/or protective clothing.
- You must include the announcement number on your application.

- You may claim Military Spouse Preference.
- Applicants claiming Veterans' Preference must submit required paperwork at the time of application.
- Applicants must provide a narrative that addresses each of the knowledge, skills and abilities (KSAs) on plain bond paper and submit it along with the other application materials. Information may include experience, education, training and awards as it relates to each KSA. Since you will be rated based on your possession of the KSAs listed in this announcement and a ranking determination made which affects your chance for employment, it would benefit you to provide your responses to the KSAs.
- Failure to provide all of the required information as stated in the vacancy announcement may result in an ineligible rating or may affect the overall rating.

How to Apply:

- Resumes must be received by the closing date of this announcement.
You may send your resume via surface mail to: NORTHEAST CPOC, DEU Staff, 314 Johnson St, APO, MD 21005
- You may fax your resume to: 410-306-1284/0106

Point of Contact: DEU Staff, Northeast CPOC, (410) 306-0031

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Applicants will receive appropriate consideration without regard to non-merit factors such as race, color, religion, sex, national origin, marital status, sexual orientation except where specifically authorized by law, age, politics or disability which do not relate to successful performance of the duties of this position. Otherwise qualified applicants with disabilities who need reasonable accommodation may notify the agency Point of Contact on this announcement of their need.

SELECTION FOR THIS POSITION IS SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS RESULTING FROM DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE REFERRAL SYSTEM FOR DISPLACED EMPLOYEES.